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### Box: PATENT APPLICATION

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**Re:** New Patent Application of: Shih-Ping YEH  
**Title:** PROTECTIVE CIRCUIT FOR A HARD DISK

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Please find attached hereto an application for patent which includes:

- ☒ Specification, Claims and Abstract (7 pages)
- ☒ 4 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Fig. 1 through Fig. 4C)
- ☒ Inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney (1 Page)
- ☒ Claim for priority (Priority document to be submitted later)
- ☒ Assignment document with cover page (2 Pages)
- ☒ Fee (see formula below)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Small Entity status asserted

Basic Fee \$355/710 \$ 710.00  
Additional Fees:

Total number of claims: 8  
in excess of 20: 0 times \$9/18 \$ 0.00

Number of independent claims: 1  
in excess of 3: 0 times \$40/80 \$ 0.00

Multiple Dependent Claims \$135/270 \$ 0.00

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The rights of priority are claimed under 35 USC §119 of Taiwanese Application No. 89214196, filed August 16, 2000 (document to be submitted later).

Respectfully submitted,

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